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MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 27, 2005

TO: Members, Commission on Higher Education

FROM: Conrad D. Festa, Executive Director

Enclosed is the agenda for the meeting of the Commission on Higher Education to be held at **10:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 6, 2005, in the Baruch Room of Joynes Hall on the campus of Winthrop University.** Included herein are draft minutes of the September 1, 2005 meeting and supporting documents for this month's agenda items.

Parking spaces for the Commission Meeting will be blocked off in front of Joynes Hall and the Thurmond Building (see directions and parking information below). Also enclosed is a map of the Winthrop campus. Lunch will be provided for Commission members upon the completion of the meeting.

Encl.

Notified of availability of materials on the web at: www.che.sc.gov

Ms. Inez Tenenbaum Presidents, Public Colleges and Universities Dr. James L. Hudgins Mr. Charles FitzSimons



Directions to Winthrop University

Southbound I-77:

Proceed to Exit 79 (Dave Lyle Boulevard/S.C. 122). At the end of the exit ramp, turn right. Travel 3.4 miles to Main Street and then turn left. At the first traffic light turn left onto Oakland Avenue. Within one mile you will begin to see Winthrop's campus on the left and right. The main entrance of campus is on the left, at the corner of Oakland Avenue and Eden Terrace. Turn left onto central campus and right again at the yield. Joynes Hall is the first building on the right.

Northbound I-77:

Proceed to Exit 79 (Dave Lyle Boulevard/S.C. 122). At the end of the exit ramp, turn left. Follow instructions above.

Southbound I-85:

In Charlotte, N.C., take I-77 south to Rock Hill. Follow southbound I-77 directions above.

Northbound I-85:

Proceed to Exit 102 (Earl). Turn right onto S.C. Highway 198, then left onto S.C. 5, continuing to Rock Hill. In Rock Hill, turn left onto Cherry Road (S.C. 322). Travel .8 miles to Oakland Avenue. Turn right. The main entrance to the campus is on your right. Turn right onto central campus and right again at the yield. Joynes Hall is the first building on the right.

From Charlotte/Douglas International Airport:

Follow Billy Graham Parkway to I-77 south. Follow southbound I-77 directions above.

From S.C. Route 72:

Turn left onto S.C. Route 901 (Heckle Bypass). Proceed to S.C. 322 (Cherry Road). Turn right and travel approximately 2 miles to Oakland Avenue. Turn right on Oakland Avenue and the main entrance to campus is on your right at the first light. Proceeding onto campus, turn right at the yield, and <u>Joynes Hall</u> is the first building on the right.

Parking for the CHE meeting will be available in front of Joynes Hall, #1 on map, and in front of the Thurmond Building, #26 on map.